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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: ANTHONY H. DODGE, ET AL. ART UNIT: 1634

SERIAL NO.: 09/449,204

EXAMINER: FORMAN, BETTY

FILING DATE: NOVEMBER 24, 1999

FOR: PCR ASSAY

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

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SIR:

It is hereby requested that a ☐ one ☐ two ☒ three ☐ four ☐ five

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month extension of time be granted to **SEPTEMBER 10, 2003** for:

- ☐ filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due \_\_\_\_\_ has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☒ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due June 10, 2003 is filed herewith
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐

The required fee of \$930.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 50-1442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

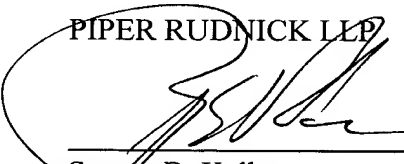
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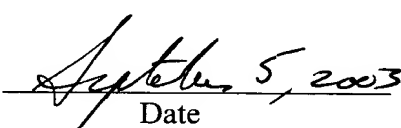
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